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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

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Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED DISTINCT VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED, OR TUBER PROPAGATED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF TWENTY YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS ROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, OR IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, CONDITIONING IT FOR PROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSE, OR CONDITIONING IT ROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSE, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR ENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT. (84 AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

WHEAT, DURUM

'Alzada'

In Testimon Marcos, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Mant Anciety Frotestian Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this tenth day of September, in the year two thousand and four.

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Commissioner Plant Variety Protection Office Agricultural Marketing Service Marieman ary of Agriculture

REPRODUCE LOCALLY. Include form number and d	ections		Form Approved - OMB No. 0581-0055						
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE				The following statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995.					
APPLICATION FOR PLANT VA (Instructions and information col	RIETY PROTECTI	ON CERTIFICATE		Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).					
1. NAME OF OWNER			2.	2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR 3. VARIETY NAME EXPERIMENTAL NAME					
Westbred, LLC				YU894-75 Alzada					
4. ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City,	State, and ZIP Co.	le, and Country)	5.	TELEPHONE (include area code)		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY			
8111 Timber	rline I	rive	4	406-587-1218 PVPO NUMBER					
Bozeman, M	ւ 5971	.8	6.	6. FAX (include area code) 200400162					
				06-586-8247	FILING	DATE			
7. IF THE OWNER NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON",	GIVE FORM OF	8. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE	9.	DATE OF INCORPORATION	-				
ORGANIZATION (corporation, partnership, asso-	ciation, etc.)	STATE OF INCORPORATION	Ni						
Westbred, LLC		Arizona	A	ugust 4, 2003	\sim	1arch 30,2004			
10. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER REPRESE	NTATIVE(S) TO S	ERVE IN THIS APPLICATION. (Fit	rst persoi	listed will receive all papers)	F	FILING AND EXAMINATION FEES:			
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Westbred, I					R	DATE 3/30/2004 CERTIFICATION FEE:			
P.O. Box 69					E C E	1 .			
Yuma, AZ 8	35366				Ī	\$ 432.00			
					E	DATE 7/26/2004			
11. TELEPHONE (include area code)	12. FAX (Includ	e area code)		13. E-MAIL		, , , , ,			
928-782-2749	928-78	2-2751		kshantz@westbred.com					
14. CROP KIND (Common Name)	16. FAMILY NA			18. DOES THE VARIETY CONTAIN ANY TRANSGENES? (OPTIONAL)					
Durum Wheat	Poace			YES X NO	LOCIONED	LIODA ADURO DEFEDENCE MUNICIPE COO TUE			
15. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME OF CROP		METY A FIRST GENERATION HYS	RID?			USDA-APHIS REFERENCE NUMBER FOR THE ATE THE GENETICALLY MODIFIED PLANT FOR			
Triticum durum	☐ YES	****		COMMERICALIZATION.					
 CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTA (Follow instructions on reverse) 	CHMENT SUBMI	ITED		 DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? (See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act) 					
a. X Exhibit A. Origin and Breeding History	of the Variety			YES (If "yes", answer items 21 and 22 below) X NO (If "no", go to item 23)					
b. X Exhibit B. Statement of Distinctness				21. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF CLASSES?					
c. X Exhibit C. Objective Description of Vari	ety			YES A NO					
d. Exhibit D. Additional Description of the	Variety (Optional)					NDATION ☐ REGISTERED ☐ CERTIFIED			
e. X Exhibit E. Statement of the Basis of the		1		22. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS?					
f. X Voucher Sample (2,500 viable untreate- verification that tissue culture will be de repository)				YES MO IF YES, SPECIFY THE NUMBER 1,2,3, etc. FOR EACH CLASS.					
g. Tiling and Examination Fee (\$3,652), m		easurer of the United							
States" (Mail to the Plant Variety Protect	ion Office)			L FOUNDATION REGISTERED CERTIFIED (If additional explanation is necessary, please use the space indicated on the reverse.)					
 HAS THE VARIETY (INCLUDING ANY HARVES FROM THIS VARIETY BEEN SOLD, DISPOSED OTHER COUNTRIES? 	TED MATERIAL) OF, TRANSFERE	OR A HYBRID PRODUCED RED, OR USED IN THE U.S. OR		24. IS THE VARIETY OR ANY COMPONENT OF THE VARIETY PROTECTED BY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT (PLANT BREEDER'S RIGHT OR PATENT)?					
YES X NO				YES NO					
IF YES, YOU MUST PROVIDE THE DATE OF F FOR EACH COUNTRY AND THE CIRCUMSTAI	IRST SALE, DISP ICES. (<i>Please us</i>	OSITION, TRANSFER, OR USE e space indicated on reverse.)		IF YES, PLEASE GIVE COUNTRY, DATE OF FILING OR ISSUANCE AND ASSIGNED REFERENCE NUMBER. (Please use space indicated on reverse.)					
25. The owners declare that a viable sample of basic seed of the variety has been furnished with application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable, or for a tuber propagated variety a tissue culture will be deposited in a public repository and maintained for the duration of the certificate.									
The undersigned owner(s) is(are) the owner of this sexually reproduced or tuber propagated plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is new, distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 42, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.									
Owner(s) is (are) informed that false representati	on herein can jeop								
SIGNATURE OF OWNER SIGNA				URE OF OWNER DRB AAD	0 h A	1.1			
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'Alzada' Durum Wheat

19.a. Exhibit A. Origin and Breeding History

'Alzada' is a durum wheat that originated from the cross 'Mohawk'/'Kofa' made near Maricopa, AZ, in March 1991. The breeding method used was single-head descent, modified pedigree. The F₁ increase from which 'Alzada' originated was grown in the field near Maricopa, AZ in 1992. The F_2 generation was grown near Bozeman, MT, in 1992. Individual spikes were selected and bulked together to grow the F₃ generation near Maricopa, AZ, in 1993. Individual spikes were selected and bulked together to grow the F₄ generation near Bozeman, MT, in 1993. Individual spikes were harvested in September 1993 and planted as spike rows near Maricopa, AZ, in November 1993. The final, single plant selection was made in May 1994 from within one F₅ row, and this selection was increased near Bozeman, MT in the summer of 1994. The resulting plot was designated 'YU894-75' and harvested in bulk. 'Alzada' was first tested in a replicated yield trial as an F₇ line near Maricopa, AZ, in 1995. Replicated yield testing was done at six locations in the 1997 through 1999 growing seasons. (Maricopa, AZ.; Yuma, AZ.; Yuma Late, AZ.; El Centro, CA.; Corcoran, CA; and Fire Baugh, CA.) Replicated yield testing was also done at five spring-planted sites in the 1997 through 2003 growing seasons. (Bozeman, MT.; Burley, ID.; Moses Lake, WA.; Conrad, MT.; and Black Foot, ID.)

The selection criteria used during the breeding of Alzada were as follows.

- F1 None, bulk harvest
- F2 Large spikes, semidwarf growth habit, and robust plants
- F3 Large spikes, semidwarf growth habit, and robust plants
- F4 Large spikes, semidwarf growth habit, and robust plants
- F5 Visual high yield row, semidwarf growth habit, flowering date, plump seed, % protein, S.D.S. sedimentation, mixogram semolina color, test weight and lodging resistance.

In 1996, 96 spikes were selected from within a seed increase plot near Bozeman, MT, and planted as spike rows near Yuma, AZ, in 1997. Sixty identical and uniform spike rows were harvested, bulked, and the resultant

seed used to plant one acre near Bozeman, MT, in 1997. Seed harvested from this one-acre increase was used to plant a breeder's seed increase of 'Alzada' near Yuma, AZ, in 1998. Additional Breeder's seed was produced in El Centro, CA, in 2002. Foundation and Registered seed was produced in Idaho in 2003. Certified seed of 'Alzada' will be first offered for sale in the spring of 2004.

'Alzada' has been observed for 7 generations of reproduction and seed increase and is stable and uniform. A variant that is black-awned occurs at a frequency of .2% (20 per 10,000). A variant that is 15cm to 30 cm taller occurs at a frequency of .2% (20 per 10,000). The variants are otherwise identical to the variety in all other characteristics.

19.b. Exhibit B. Statement of Distinctness

'Alzada' is most similar to the spring durum variety 'Kofa'. 'Kofa' is planted on approximately 20,000 acres in AZ and California. 'Alzada' can be distinguished from 'Kofa' by the following morphological characteristics:

- 1. 'Alzada' has blue-green (5BG 4/2 Munsell) leaf color at booting while 'Kofa' has green color. (2.5G 4/4)
- 2. 'Alzada' has wanting glume shoulders while 'Kofa' has apiculate glume shoulders.

The above comparisons, along with the complete Objective Description (Exhibit C), show 'Alzada' to be a novel variety of durum wheat.

Table 1. Agronomic Characteristics of 'Alzada' compared to check varieties in Westbred, LLC trials. (1997-2003) (Average of 29 location/years)

Entry	Yield	T.W.	Protein	SDS	Semolina	Plt. Hth	Heading	Lodging
	Lbs/A	Lbs/bu	%	Sed.	Color*	Cm	After 7/1	%
'Alzada'	5401	60.8	13.9	72	34.3	81	3	22
'Kronos'	5211	59.6	14.3	69	33.2	75	2	11
'Kofa'	4690	59.8	14.3	73	33.7	78	4	2

^{* &#}x27;b' value of semolina color measured by the Minolta Colorimeter

Table 2
MILLING AND PASTA QUALITY-AVERAGE 3 LOCATIONS*

	ALZADA	KRONOS	KOFA
% Protein	13.6	13.5	13.7
% Ash	1.74	1.73	1.78
gms/1000K	50.6	50.0	48.6
% Semolina Extraction	65.7	65.0	64.8
Specks	40	35	50
Alveograph			
W	212	183	268
P/L	2.0	2.0	1.3
Semolina Col "b'	25.8	25.4	27.2
Pasta Analysis			
Color Score	10	10	9.5
Cooked Wt (g)	30.5	31.5	29.3
% Cooking Los	7.5	7.6	6.5
Firmness Score	6.6	6.5	7.9

^{*}Analysis Performed by the California Wheat Commission

instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

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EXHIBIT C (Wheat)

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY WHEAT (Triticum spp.)

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FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY
PVPO NUMB #2 0 0 4 0 0 4 6 2
PVPO NUMBE 2 0 0 4 0 0 7 6 2
VARIETY NAME Alzada
TEMPORARY OR EXPERIMENTAL DESIGNATION YU894-75
riate number that describes the varietal character of this variety in the boxes below. er 99 or less or 9 or less respectively. Data for quantitative plant characters should be based on a ries entered in the same trial. Royal Horticultural Society or any recognized color standard may
e answer all questions for your variety; lack of response may delay progress of your application.
2. VERNALIZATION:
1=Spring 2=Winter 3=Other (SPECIFY):
4. JUVENILE PLANT GROWTH:
3 1 = Prostrate 2 = Semi-erect 3 = Erect
6. FLAG LEAF (boot stage):
2 1 = Erect 2 = Recurved
1 = Not Twisted 2 = Twisted
2 1 = Wax Absent 2 = Wax Present
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	Exhibit C	' (W)
8. ANTHER COLOR: 1 = Yellow 2 = Purple	20040016	
9. PLANT HEIGHT (from soil to top of head, excluding	awns):	
0 8 1 cm (Average)		
0 6 cm Taller Than Kronos	*	
Same as cm Shorter Than	*	: •
10. STEM:		
A. ANTHOCYANIN	D. INTERNODE	
1 = Absent 2 = Present	1 = Hollow 2 = Semi-solid 3 = Solid Number of Nodes	•
B. WAXY BLOOM	E. PEDUNCLE	
2 1 = Absent 2 = Present	1 = Erect 2 = Recurved 3 = Semi-erect	
	3 3 cm Length	٠.
C. HAIRINESS (last internode of rachis)	F. AURICLE	
2 1 = Absent	1 Anthocyanin 1 = Absent 2 = Present	
2 = Present	1 = Absent 2 = Present	
1. HEAD (at Maturity):		
. DENSITY	C. CURVATURE	
1 = Lax 2 = Middense (Laxidense) 3 = Dense	1 1 = Erect 2 = Inclined 3 = Recurved	
SHAPE	D. AWNEDNESS	
1 = Tapering 2 = Strap 3 = Clavate 4 = Other (SPECIFY):	1 = Awnless 2 = Apically Awnletted 3 = Awnletted 4 = Awned	

4 = Awned

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12. GLUMES (at Maturity):				90	R D		xhib		
A. COLOR	•	Е. І	BEAK WIDTH	L V	04	0) 1	6	2
1 = White 2 = Tan 3 = Other (SPECIFY):			1 = Narrow 2 = Medium 3 = Wide						
B. SHOULDER		F. G	LUME LENGTH						
1 = Wanting 2 = Oblique 3 = Rounded 4 = Square 5 = Elevated 6 = Apiculate 7 = Other (SPECIFY):	e		1 = Short (ca. 7mm) 2 = Medium (ca. 8mm) 3 = Long (ca. 9mm)						
C. SHOULDER WIDTH	··········	G. V	VIDTH .	·				-	
1 = Narrow 2 = Medium 3 = Wide			1 = Narrow (ca. 3mm) 2 = Medium (ca. 3.5mm 3 = Wide (ca. 4mm)	u) .		٠		- 🔨	···
D. BEAK	· •					-			
1 = Obtuse 2 = Acute 3 = Acuminate			x - *						
13. SEED		······································						·	
A. SHAPE		E. Co	OLOR						
1 = Ovate 2 = Oval 3 = Elliptical		2	1 = White 2 = Amber 3 = Red 4 = Other (SPECIFY):						
B. CHEEK		F. TE	XTURE				•		,
1 = Rounded 2 = Angular		1	1 = Hard 2 = Soft 3 = Other (SPECIFY):					-	
C. BRUSH		G. PI	HENOL REACTION (see	instructions	5):		,		
2 1 = Short 2 = Medium 3 = Long	1 = Not Collared 2 = Collared		1 = Ivory 2 = Fawn 3 = Light Brown	4 = Dark 5 = Black	Brown				
D. CREASE		H. SE	ED WEIGHT	·					
1 = Width 60% or less of Kernel 2 = Width 80% or less of Kernel 3 = Width Nearly as Wide as Ke	Ī	5 1	g/1000 seed (Whole no	umber only	').				

I. GERM SIZE

1 = Small2 = Midsize3 = Large

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1 = Depth 20% or less of Kernel 2 = Depth 35% or less of Kernel 3 = Depth 50% or less of Kernel

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1 4 .	Disease:	(0=Not Tested;	1=Susceptible;	2=Resistant;	,	4=Toleran	0400	162
		PLEA	SE INDICATE T	HE SPECIFIC	RACE OR STRAIN	TESTED		
0	Stem Rusi	t (Puccinia graminis	s f. sp. <i>tritici)</i>	0	Leaf Rust (Puccin	nia recondita f. s	sp. tritici)	
0	Stripe Rus	st (Puccinia striifori	nis)	0	Loose Smut (Ustil	ago tritici)		
0	Tan Spot	(Pyrenophora tritici-	-repentis)	0	Flag Smut (Urocy	stis agropyri)		
0	Halo Spot	(Selenophoma dona	ıcis)	0	Common Bunt (T	illetia tritici or I	. laevis)	٠,
0	Septoria no	odorum (Glume Blo	tch)	0	Dwarf Bunt (Tille	tia controversa)		
0	Septoria av	venae (Speckled Lea	f Disease)	0	Karnal Bunt (Tille	ztia indica)		
0	Septoria trii	tici (Speckled Leaf)	Blotch)	Ö	Powdery Mildew (Erysiphe gramii	nis f. sp. tritici	9
0	Scab (Fusa	urium spp.)		0	"Snow Molds"			٠
0	"Black Poir	nt" (Kernel Smudge)	0	Common Root Rot Bipolaris spp.)	(Fusarium, Coo	chliobolus and	i
0	Barley Yello	ow Dwarf Virus (B	YDV)	0	Rhizoctonia Root R	ot (Rhizoctonia	solani)	
0	Soilborne M	Iosaic Virus (SBMV	<i>'</i>	0	Black Chaff (Xanth	nomonas campes	stris pv. transl	ucens)
0	Wheat Yello	ow (Spindle Streak)	Mosaic Virus	0	Bacterial Leaf Bligh	nt (Pseudomona	is syringae pv	
0	Wheat Strea	ak Mosaic Virus (W	SMV)		Other (SPECIFY)			
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15. IN	SECT: ((0=Not Tested; 1=	Susceptible; 2	=Resistant;	3=Intermediate; 4	=Tolerant)		
			PLEASE SPEC	IFY BIOTYPI	E (where needed)			
0	Hessian Fly ((Mayetiola destructo			Other (SPECIFY)_			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
0	Stem Sawfly	(Cephus spp.)			Other (SPECIFY)_		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
0	Cereal Leaf B	Seetle (Oulema mela	тора)		Other (SPECIFY)_			
0	Russian Aphic	d (Diuraphis noxia)		Other (SPECIFY)_		· · · - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<u></u>
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O Greenbug (Schiza	aphis graminum)			Other	r (SPECIFY)		 .		
1 Aphids				Other	(SPECIFY)				
16. ADDITIONAL INFOR	RMATION ON AN	NY ITEM ABOVE.	OR GEN	TEDAY	COMMENTS		- · - · · ·		,

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8111 Timberline Drive Bozeman, MT 59718	406-587-1218	406-586-8247						
	7. PVPO NUMBER 20	0400162						
8. Does the applicant own all rights to the variety? Mark an "X" in the	ne appropriate block. If no, please exp	lain. YES NO						
9. is the applicant (individual or company) a U.S. national or a U.S.	based company? If no, give name of	country. X YES NO						
10. Is the applicant the original owner?	NO If no, please answer on	e of the following:						
a. If the original rights to variety were owned by individual(s), is								
YES	NO If no, give name of cou	ntry						
b. If the original rights to variety were owned by a company(ies), is (are) the original owner(s) a U.S. b NO If no, give name of coun							
11. Additional explanation on ownership (Trace ownership from original explanation)	inal breeder to current owner. Use the	reverse for extra space if needed):						
PLEASE NOTE:		**						
Plant variety protection can only be afforded to the owners (not licen	sees) who meet the following criteria:							
If the rights to the variety are owned by the original breeder, that p national of a country which affords similar protection to nationals of	person must be a U.S. national, national	ol of a UPOV member country, or cies.						
If the rights to the variety are owned by the company which emplo nationals of a UPOV member country, or owned by nationals of a genus and species.	yed the original breeder(s), the compar country which affords similar protection	ny must be U.S. based, owned by n to nationals of the U.S. for the same						
3. If the applicant is an owner who is not the original owner, both the	original owner and the applicant must	meet one of the above criteria.						
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